

# Crossfield Chronicle

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## The Revised High School Program

With the additional accommodation and equipment supplied by the Board, and because of the determination of the Principal to have the Crossfield School offer the best possible educational opportunities, we are looking forward to the next school year with much satisfaction.

The Revised Program of Studies for the High School has been designed to serve the educational needs, not merely of a relatively small group of students who will proceed later to advanced academic or professional training, but all of our adolescent boys and girls. The new program recognizes the wisdom of providing educational experiences for a group of young people who vary greatly in capacities, aptitudes and interests. Such a revision must, of course, be brought into effect gradually but a beginning is being made this year. The implications of this general principle may be interpreted as follows:

(1) Not all students will be required to take the same subjects of instruction, or to attain the same standards of achievement.

(2) Students may proceed with a certain group of subjects which lead to the High School Diploma, or they may decide to earn those credits which lead to Senior Matriculation. There is no mark of prestige attached to any particular selection of subjects.

(3) The older classroom procedures associated with the memorization and reproduction of verbalized material from books will give place to procedures that ensure a live, meaningful type of classroom experience.

(4) Because of qualifications of teachers, standards maintained, and organization in effect, High School credits will be granted for attendance since it may be assumed that a desired mental, social and personal growth will be the result. Credits will not be granted merely for "passing examinations."

(5) The Program will facilitate a desirable growth and development in personality through social experience and will give ample opportunity for the free play of critical intelligence, and will provide means for mastering the techniques and practices of the democratic way of life.

## Madden Murmurs

Mrs. Mashford is visiting at her home in Trochu.

Miss Hazle Havens is visiting in Aldrie at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. McEachern.

Miss Isabel Dawson, Mr. Newt Caldwell and Mr. and Mrs. Washburn were Sunday visitors at Banff and Lake Louise.

Miss Olive Benedict of New Westminster, B.C. returned to Calgary on Tuesday enroute to her home after spending a few days as the guest of Dorothy Ingham.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Farquharson accompanied by the latter's sister, Mrs. Dahl and Mr. Dahl, left on Thursday last for a trip over the Banff Jasper highway.

## "Ladybirds" as War Pilots



Ready to fight or fly for the Mother Country are these Vancouver girls, who have offered their services to the Canadian Government for duty at home or overseas. Left to right, Elaine Rougier, Beryl Armstrong, Rolfe Barrett, Jeanne Gilbert, Margaret Kane and Tosca Trussell. Young and attractive, they're full of "pep" and ready to go.

## LOCALS

Mrs. Vera Brown is a visitor at Sylvan Lake this week.

Mr. H. R. Ballam is painting the roof of his house this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Sharp were week end visitors at Sylvan Lake.

Rev and Mrs. H. V. Ellison are spending a few days at Brownlows Landing, Gull Lake, Alta.

Mr. D. E. Volden of Madden was a business visitor in town on Tuesday.

Monday, September 2nd, is Labor Day. The Post Office wicket will be open from 10 to 11 a.m. only.

Mrs. E. Devins and daughters are spending a vacation at Sylvan Lake.

Mr. R. T. Amery, Arlene and Bill returned home Saturday after a vacation at Walla Walla, Wash.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Fox and Merwin returned home Saturday from a two weeks' trip to the Okanagan Valley.

Mr. T. Tredaway spent the beginning of the week in the South country, looking after farming interests in the Champion district.

A meeting of the Anglican Women's Guild will be held at the home of Mrs. Reeves on Thursday, September 5.

Miss Leona Parks of Rocky Mountain House arrived in town Tuesday to take a position in the Home Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Dawson have as their guests this week, Mrs. Dawson's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. L. I. McLaughlin of Edmonton.

Mr. Norman Johnson expects to leave Sunday for two weeks with the Militia at Sarcee Camp. During his absence the barber shop will be closed.

## Day Of Prayer

The King has designated September 8, the first Sunday after the anniversary of the outbreak of the war as a national day of prayer.

Answering the telegram sent to Premier Bracken at the recent Wheat Conference by the local Board of Trade, the following reply was received—

Mr. C. A. Marshall, Secretary Board of Trade, Crossfield, Alberta.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Bracken has asked me to acknowledge his personal gratitude and the thanks of the Conference for your support in presenting the needs of western producers in their present great emergency.

There were some attending the Conference who felt that the situation was really not very urgent and what had already been done by the Government would enable the farmers to carry on for quite a time. Your communication was of great assistance to the majority of those who attended in presenting the need for immediate action.

Sincerely yours,  
H. C. Grant  
Conference Secretary.

## NOTICE

The Barber Shop will be closed from September 1st to September 15th, as I will be away at Sarcee Training Camp.  
NORMAN JOHNSON.

## CANN — PEARSON

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mrs. Mahle Pearson of Carstairs on Friday, August 16, when her only daughter, Eileen Grace, was married to Mr. Robert J. Cann. Rev. G. Pybus officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Cann left by motor for Banff and on their return they will reside in Carstairs where Mr. Cann is Manager of the Atlas Lumber Co.

## LOCALS

Miss Dorothy Hesketh, Miss Eileen Riddell, Clarence Riddell and Ken McTavish were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill at Fletcher Creek, and also visited Waterton Lakes.

Mrs. Ralph Vetter and baby daughter went home to Carstairs on Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Vetter's mother, Mrs. D. Cameron, who is visiting there this week.

Cyril Biddulph, who worked here for over two years, has enlisted in the 2nd Company, Forestry Corps, Westmount, Quebec. He wishes to be remembered to all his old friends.

Mrs. B. Patmore and family, of Crossfield, are visitors at the Harry Smith home this week. Mrs. E. Carr of Armada joined her sisters at the Smith home on Sunday, — Vulcan Advocate, Aug. 22.

Miss Violet Currie returned on Sunday after visiting with friends at Pine Lake and Swallow. She leaves on Monday next for the Christopher Robbin Kindergarten School in Calgary, where she will start training as a teacher.

Mrs. N. G. Tweedle and Beverley Anne returned home from Calgary where Beverley Anne had been receiving medical treatment following removal of her tonsils. Mr. Tweedle accompanied them home for the week-end.

Postmaster Mossop spent a few days of last week with his family, who have been holidaying at their cottage at Sylvan Lake. They accompanied him home and together they will return to the Lake to conclude their holiday this week-end.

About 30 young people gathered at the Park on Sunday afternoon and proceeded to Hall's Coulee for the picnic and Weiner roast being held by the Native Sons and Daughters Association. A splendid outing was enjoyed by all.

## CANADA AND U. S. SIGN AGREEMENT

The good neighbor policy, characteristic of relations between Canada and the United States for long years, was placed on a concrete base on August 18 last when Prime Minister MacKenzie King and President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed an agreement at Ogdensburg N.Y., for the mutual defense of both countries.

Exactly two years ago, on that date, President Roosevelt had stated in Toronto: "I give you assurance that the people of the United States will not stand idly by if domination of Canadian soil is threatened by any other Empire". The practical means for carrying that assurance out were sealed in the agreement reached by the leaders of the two countries forming the northern half of the western hemisphere.

Text of the joint statement issued after the historic meeting follows:

"The Prime Minister and the President have discussed the mutual problems of defense in relation to the safety of Canada and the United States.

"It has been agreed that a permanent joint board on defense shall be set up at once by the two countries.

"This permanent joint board on defense shall commence immediate studies relating to sea, land and air problems including personnel and material.

"It will consider in the broad sense the defense of the north half of the Western Hemisphere.

"The permanent joint board on defense will consist of four or five members from each country, most of them from the services. It will meet shortly."

Two days after this joint statement was issued Captain Victor G. Brodeur R.C.N., and Colonel H. F. G. Letson, M.C., were appointed naval attaché and military attaché respectively at Washington.

## LOCAL SCHOOLS OPEN SEPT. 3RD

The local schools will reopen for the fall term on Tuesday morning, September 3rd. Mr. Gish will resume the duties of Principal, with Mr. D. Adam as Assistant Principal. Miss Jean Benedict of Hanna will take over the classes of Mrs. Emery.

The new school, which will be used by the primary classes, is rapidly nearing completion and will be ready for occupancy early in September. During the summer vacation the old school has been redecorated throughout.

## Citizens Register Over 600 Mark

The registration of citizens here on August 19, 20 and 21 was carried out in a very efficient manner, under the direction of D. J. Hall and Mrs. Wes. Shantz for Crossfield and Geo. Butler and Mrs. A. D. Stevens at East Community Hall. The number registered in Crossfield was 498 and about 140 at East Community Hall.

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## THE CROSSFIELD CHRONICLE

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Thursday August 29th 1940

Harvest time is here again—and what a bountiful harvest it is. Beautiful gardens, and fields of golden grain, truly a generous gift of Providence. Citizens too, have been generous with gifts of garden produce and flowers. Hardly a day passes but we notice some one making a generous donation to his neighbor who has no garden.

Financial assistance is greatly needed for some of the farmers at this time to assist them harvest their crop. Harvest time calls for quite an outlay of cash, and if funds are not available it means that a great deal of the year's work will be lost.

It seems that it would be good business on the part of the governments to come to the assistance of these needy farmers, particularly at this time, the beginning of harvest. Under the present setup the farmer with 300 acres, for example, is allowed to deliver 5 bushels per acre, which would be 1500 bushels. This in itself would not produce enough cash to meet but a small portion of the farmer's needs, and if this is not available now, what will he do for cash to meet the usual expenditures demanded before he can attempt to begin harvest.

What is required is some ready cash made available through the banks guaranteed by the government, which would allow the farmers to proceed with harvest without any handicaps.

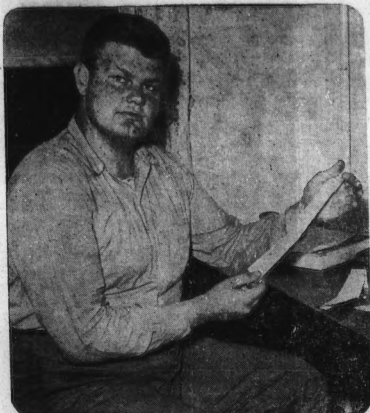
Machinery, labor, twine, food and clothing are first essentials to be met with at the beginning of harvest, and at this day and age it is almost impossible to think of getting credit on your entire requirements.

A Board of Trade meeting should be held early in September to take care of any current business and to follow up several items of importance. The petition on the Nanton street crossing has been out some time now, and some follow-up action should be taken.

A program should be arranged for the fall and winter months, so that our Board can keep abreast of the times in matters that are of general interest to the individual and the community.

After the warning the Village Council gave the boys and girls at the last council meeting about riding on the sidewalks, apparently some of them have forgotten all about it, as we notice quite a number using the walks for a speedway. One accident was just avoided on the corner of Nanton and Railway when a boy came speeding down the walk just missing a pedestrian by inches.

## No Place to Go



Philip Stieger

The former resident of Washington, D.C. finds himself a man without a country as a result of five months service with the Canadian Active Service Force. He has been refused entry to the United States because he took an oath of allegiance to King George, when joining the Canadian Army. United States immigration officials held this cancelled his American citizenship although the huge young American belongs to a family that has lived in the United States since before the American revolutionary war.

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## The World of Wheat

By H. G. L. Strange

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As usual a number of farmers have been discovered in each district whose crops were sufficiently true-to-variety to classify as "Crop Testing Plan" "A". This means that these farmers should have grain to sell to their neighbors that is quite good enough to be used as seed by anyone in the district. Farmers, therefore, on the lookout for good seed this coming year, and at a small premium only over elevator price, would be well advised to find out the names of their neighbors who have "Crop Testing Plan" "A" stocks to spare. Last year large quantities of

good seed were distributed from farmers who had "A" stocks to those whose crops were classified by the "Crop Testing Plan" as "C" or "Mixtures", and during the past ten years approximately four million bushels of this good "A" material have been purchased and sown by farmers; all of which undoubtedly has helped to improve the quality of the wheat grown on our prairies.

Following factors have tended to raise price:—Roumania's wheat harvest reported to be 65 million bushels less than last year — Abnormally heavy rains in the Argentine have retarded wheat seeding — Political disturbances in the Mediterranean threaten to involve Greece and Turkey.

Following factors have tended to lower price:— Canada's spring and winter wheat crop prospects continue to be most favorable — Argentina has increased potato production 30 percent over a year ago — Colombia restricts wheat imports — Argentina reports heavy corn crop.

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## RADIO OPINIONS

AND NEWS by John N. Hunt  
PUBLICITY DEPARTMENT CFAC

### LIGHT UP AND LISTEN

Folks, your favorite show of shows, Light Up and Listen will return to station CFAC, September 29, with a new cast led by a new master of ceremonies. This show, which has been a favorite of so many radio listeners, is bound to have more appeal than ever, with its advent in September. The new master of Ceremonies, slated for an appearance with the show, is likely to be Milton Cross, that famous announcer on so many National shows. Watch CFAC September 23rd at 8:30 P. M. and every night Monday through Friday at the same time thereafter.

### SPEED GIBSON

The time draws closer, boys and girls, for that new super show, Speed Gibson. It seems that Speed Gibson is a young boy of fifteen years of age, who has an uncle in the International Secret Police. Speed is very interested in building model Airplanes, and wishes to become an airman. He becomes a member of the International Secret Police in the first episode, and goes on an airplane trip to China to help his uncle track down an international, known criminal, the Octopus.

Watch, boys and girls for the thrilling adventures of Speed Gibson over CFAC, beginning September 4th.

### THE LONE RANGER

Just a little reminder boys and girls, that your favorite, the Lone Ranger, will be back on the air on September 9th. We know that every boy and girl will not want to miss the first episode of this thrilling adventure, so watch for further announcements of time over CFAC.

The curfew along about 9 in the evening wakes the old folks up so they can help the kids get started off for the evening

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### Canadian Mills

#### Operating Full Blast

From figures released by the Department of Munitions and Supply, mills and firms engaged in the manufacture of personal equipment for the fighting forces are operating full blast. During a two week period 22,000 full battle dress uniforms were produced while 91,000 pairs of socks, 90,000 shirts, 40,000 sets of underwear and 69,000 pairs of boots were being turned out.

### Rescue Boats

#### For Air Force

A \$600,000 contract has been placed by the Department of Munitions and Supply for six large rescue boats for the Royal Air Force. The launches are between 60-70 feet in length. Powered with three engines, they will be capable of doing 35 knots.

Agricultural officials in Edmonton showed great interest in the report that Steve Toly, Lethbridge district farmer, has harvested a six-acre plot of barley yielding 104 bushels to the acre. Grown on irrigated land, the yield is said to be a record.

### TRANSPORTATION.

#### Train Schedule

##### SOUTH

Every day except Sunday

522.....	5:21 a.m.
524.....	12:21 p.m.
526.....	5:35 p.m.

##### Sunday

522.....	5:21 a.m.
528.....	2:10 p.m.

##### NORTH

521.....	12:42 a.m.
523.....	10:07 p.m.
525.....	5:53 p.m.

##### SUNDAY

521.....	12:42 a.m.
527.....	6:01 p.m.

#### Bus Schedule

##### NORTH

7:51 a.m.	2:21 p.m.	6:21 p.m.
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##### SOUTH

5:07 a.m.	12:13 p.m.	8:13 p.m.
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**Classified Ads Pay!**





Some of these evacuees from the Channel Islands left their homes at very short notice—and not a moment too soon. But for the demilitarization and considerable evacuation of the islands the casualties might have been much heavier than they were. This picture was taken as the refugees reached a British port—and safely.

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## SMOKE SCREEN

We all know we are in a fight for liberty to a finish. Do the Pool Officials? If the Pool officials do then why try and capitalize on the war? This is no time for such abominable tactics.

Why mix up knowledge of momentous national decisions with Pool propaganda such as recently appeared under the headings of "Humanity Has Struck Its Tent" and "Eternal Vigilance Is The Price Of Liberty"?

If the officials really desire to give Pool members worthwhile information and believe that "eternal vigilance is the price of liberty" we would suggest two questions that must be frequently in the minds of former Pool farmers.

When will a payment be made on the \$29,000,000 that was taken for Elevator and Commercial Reserves?

Do these officials realize that not one cent has been paid in interest on that money for ten long years?

There are many more questions might be asked but there is a war on.

## Line Elevators Association

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### Shipbuilding

#### Ahead of Schedule

In addition to the well advanced naval construction program involving the building of 92 vessels of which a portion is now afloat, the Canadian ship conversion program in progress since the start of the war, is proceeding ahead of schedule. Many converted vessels are now in service on the high seas with the Royal Canadian Navy.

There is an old English proverb worth remembering in these days: "Money lost, little lost; honor lost, much lost; pluck lost, all lost."

### Navy Nearly Six Times Stronger Than A Year Ago

The Royal Canadian Navy is now nearly six times stronger than it was a year ago, according to a statement made by Hon. Angus L. MacDonald, Minister of National Defense for the Navy. In inaugurating his press conference, the Minister gave an encouraging report of activities since the start of the war dwelling on the Navy's expansion, on the high quality of its work performed while seeing service with the Royal Navy and pointing long enough to hit at Nazi planted rumors concerning ship movements.

**EXPANSION:** The Canadian fleet has grown from 15 vessels, a year ago, to 120 vessels now commissioned for active service. During the coming year 95 more ships will swell this total to 215. These include three destroyers. More than 15,000 men are busy in Canadian shipyards pushing the shipbuilding program ahead of schedule.

The personnel of the Navy has grown to about 10,000 officers and men. More are being trained every day to meet growing needs.

**WORK PRAISED:** A cablegram from Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian High Commissioner in London was read by the Minister. It paid high tribute to the units of the Canadian Navy in action with the Royal Navy, noting the British Admiralty's praise for the work of Canadian destroyers in hazardous duties, rescue work and the convoy of ships.

The men of the Canadian Navy serving in units of the Royal Navy and the officers in training in England were singled out for special praise. Over 400 men of the R.C.N. are with the British.

**RUMOURS SPIKED:** Rumours to the effect that the enemy broadcasts departures of ships and convoys from Canadian ports have never been authenticated. Planted by Nazi agents, these rumours are meant to lull authorities into relaxing censorship rules.

"Dad, is there any difference between a gun and a machine gun?"  
"Yes, my son — it is just about the same as if I spoke and then your mother spoke."

### Hitler's Guests — With "Souvenirs"



• Pictured here with a photograph of Adolf Hitler and clarettes of a German Storm Trooper and dachshund, are Admiral Sir Harry Dowie, former Director of British Naval Intelligence and Lady Dowie, both of whom are under arrest in England under the Defence Regulations Act. In 1937, the Admiral went to Germany to hunt with Heinrich Himmler, head of the Gestapo (Nazi Secret Police) and twice before that was a guest of Hitler.



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## Red Cross Society

Five thousand parcels of food per week for British Prisoners of War in Germany, to be purchased in Canada for shipment overseas, are asked for in a cable received from London by the Canadian Red Cross Society.

Unofficial statements made by officers of the society indicate that the Canadian Red Cross will not hesitate in adding this important new branch to its main services.

In making public the cable request Mrs. H. P. Plumtree, Chairman of War Activities, said "This is a great thing for Canada. It is another important job which the people of Canada can do in relieving the British Red Cross of some of the tremendous load it is carrying. Britain needs all the foodstuffs can produce and we can provide these food parcels from our abundant supplies."

The financing of this arrangement, it is understood, will be discussed when the Central Council of the Society meets for Toronto early next month. The cost of the 5,000 parcels per week is estimated at about \$300,000 a year. While only 5,000 parcels are asked for at the present time, it is felt that if the experiment proves a success the number will be greatly increased.

The parcels of food from Canada would be distributed in Germany under International Red Cross supervision.

It is understood that if the Canadian Red Cross does agree to supply the parcels, the British Red Cross will send over to Canada a representative of their packing department to supervise the packing in Canada. The Canadian Red Cross has for some time been sending food supplies to England to be packed there and sent to British prisoners in Germany. These include some Canadians who enlisted with the British forces, mainly the Royal Air Force.

In view of the wheat crisis, the provincial government has waived prior claims for taxes, seed grain and other advances, thus allowing priority to threshermen's liens, twine credits and harvest expenses. This was announced by H. O. Lucien Maynard Saturday last. He urged farmers, pending any better measures, to make full use of present Alberta legislation to ensure credits for harvesting expenses. And, according to Hon. D. B. Mullen, should a certain plan devised by the Alberta Government be allowed implementation by Ottawa, "we are convinced it would solve the problem immediately."

## HEADQUARTERS

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Mathematical Sets— 25c 35c 50c  
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## COMING EVENTS

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## Record Production

Gold production in Canada during 1939 set an all time record according to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Gross value of the precious stuff was \$184,115,351, an increase of more than 10 per cent over the previous year. Ontario contributed about three-fifths of the total, while Quebec, British Columbia, and Manitoba followed in that order.

Admission applications are already being received from prospective freshmen by the registrar of the University of Alberta. Registration Day is set for Sept. 24. University officials have announced an increase in fees for the coming year, due to greater expenses incurred as result of current conditions.

Designed by Major W. H. Cross, research petrologist and former Imperial staff officer, a new bullet proof vest has won the approval of Toronto Police Inspector Wm. Bolton. Shooting 38 revolver slugs and sub machine gun bullets into the new armor, the officer found them turned "inside out" by the inside material. It is made from rock says the inventor. And it is a rock found only in Canada.

According to Hon. E. C. Manning it is impossible for provincial and municipal governments to assume the full burden of farm relief, as has been decided by Ottawa authorities in regard to the wheat crisis. In a telegram to Prime Minister King Tuesday last, he urged that the Bank of Canada come to the rescue by issuing sufficient credits to fill present needs. Unless some method of financing the farmers is devised, the west faces a great calamity, he declared.

Department of Education officials say that about the same number of "second comers" wrote supplementary examinations this year as last year. The number is estimated at 2,800 for the province. Commencing Monday, August 19, students worked during the week to make up ground lost in the June examinations.

Cost of the provincial general election held last March totalled \$178,376.

## Church Announcements

CROSSFIELD AND DISTRICT  
UNITED CHURCH

Minister  
Rev. H. V. Ellison.  
Services for Sunday, Sept. 1st, 1940.  
Madden—11.00 a.m.  
Dog Pound—2.30 p.m.  
Crossfield 7.30 p.m.

GUEST PREACHER: Rev. A. A. Lytle, Secretary, South Alberta Auxiliary of the British and Foreign Bible Society, Everybody Is Cordially Invited To These Services.

NOTE—Official Board Meeting for representatives of all charges, at Crossfield, Sunday, Sept. 8th, at 8:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION  
(Anglican)

Rev. A. D. Currie, Rector  
Services for September.

1st 11.00 a.m. Holy Communion.  
8th 7.30 p.m. Evening.  
15th 11.00 a.m. Matins.  
22nd 8.00 a.m. Holy Communion.  
29th 7.30 p.m. Evening.  
Monday, the 16th, J.W.A. commences.  
A special service will be held at Oids on the 15th, at 7:30 p.m., for the whole Mission.

REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCH  
Rev. J. H. Pickford, B.Th., Pastor

Morning Service, 11.00 a.m.  
Sunday School, 10 noon  
Evening Service, 7.30 o'clock

## Veterans Reserve Have Workout

A parade of the Veterans Volunteer Reserve was held on the 22nd at the Fire Hall at 8 p.m., called largely for the purpose of organization. Officer in charge—Platoon Commander C. H. McMillan. Twelve new members of the Reserve were sworn in as constables and the strength of the Unit is now thirty-six members. Standing orders were read over to the members and discussions took place on various matters pertaining to duties, etc.

The platoon engaged in practice of the new British Army three-rank squad drill at Baker's Garage, under the direction of Allan Montgomery who served as an officer in the 31st Battalion during the First Great War. It took only a few minutes for the veterans to learn the new drill which is simple enough.

It is expected that at the next parade an outside speaker will be available to give a short talk on the Defense of Canada Regulations and in connection with police work. To complete the organization, it will be necessary to nominate a sergeant and three section commanders at the next meeting, which may not be called until after harvest unless wet weather slows up threshing operations.

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### VILLAGE

**COUNCIL MEETINGS**  
The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m.  
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## Classified Ads

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FOR SALE—Nash Sedan, 1929 Model. In fine condition inside and out. Fair rubber. Front seat convertible into bed. Bargain for cash. For particulars, call at the Chronicle Office. 29 tf

FOR SALE—Two lots, Spruce trees, Caragana hedges, Shrubby, Raspberry bushes, Fenced, Small house with basement, Garage, Well. On west side of Ross Street, north, Crossfield. Apply to Gordon Agencies, Crossfield, or W. Kurstner, General Delivery, Calgary

FOR SALE—1929 Essex Sedan, In good running condition. Recently overhauled. Good rubber. A real bargain for cash. You must see it to appreciate the value. Apply to S. G. Fleming Crossfield 37 tf

FOR RENT—2 unfurnished rooms, suitable for school girls. Light supplied. Separate entrances. Apply Jesse's Studio, Chronicle Building.



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## Jesse's Studio

Chronicle Building

**YOUR LOCAL Jeweller and Photographer**

We invite you to see our high class service on any or all of the following—

**Watches, Clocks, Camera Shutters**  
We weld rings, Glasses, and repair Celluloid glass frames  
**Your PHOTOGRAPH hand oil colored**

**JOIN OUR PICTURE CONTEST.** Your best snap taken and developed here, will win a \$2.50 value enlargement, oil colored and mounted. See us for details.

**Amateur finishing a Specialty.** Bring in your roll to be developed—25c

**A lens clean-up with the purchase of a new film.**  
**CONTEST CLOSING AUGUST 31st.**